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In January 2009, Stephen Green began work as Principal Commercial Officer at the American Institute in Taiwan. Mr. Green's work is aimed at helping American companies develop business in Taiwan thereby also creating new opportunities for Taiwan agents and distributors to represent U.S. companies.

From 2003 to 2008, Mr. Green served as Senior Advisor on the U.S. Department of Commerce's Iraq Investment and Reconstruction Task Force. In this capacity, Mr. Green participated in the U.S. Government interagency reconstruction process, providing senior-level Department officials with advice on trade policy and economic reform in Iraq and establishing commercial ties between U.S. and Iraqi firms.

From 2000 to 2003, Mr. Green worked as Senior Analyst in the U.S. Department of Commerce's Office of Telecommunications Technologies, monitoring regulatory policy in Latin American markets and writing market-based research for U.S. companies. Mr. Green's activities also included policy analysis in support of the U.S. Trade Representative's office and initiation of overseas business development opportunities for U.S. telecommunications firms.

Mr. Green spent the years 1995-99 in Ecuador, South America, first as a Peace Corps Volunteer and later in the capacity of Health Programs Director for a non-governmental development organization, during which he gained professional level proficiency in Spanish.

Mr. Green holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science from Pepperdine University and a Master of Arts degree in Public Administration from Rutgers University. Upon graduation from Rutgers in 2000, he entered the federal government as a Presidential Management Fellow.